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Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects

Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

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1. At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 19 September 2003, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its fifty-eighth session the item entitled "Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects" and to allocate it to the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee).

2. The Fourth Committee considered the item at its 8th to 11th meetings, on 15, 16, 17 and 20 October 2003 (see A/C.4/58/SR.8-11).

3. At the 8th meeting, on 15 October, the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations made a statement (see A/C.4/58/SR.8), after which the Committee moved into closed session to hold an interactive dialogue with the Under-Secretary-General.

4. At the 11th meeting, on 20 October, the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations made a further statement (see A/C.4/58/SR.11).

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